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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. FITHE DIVIDEND at the RATE of 8% or \$2.28 per SHARE, declared at the Ordinary Half-yearly Meeting of Shareholders held This Day, will be Payable at the above Company, will be Held at the the Honokond & Shanghai Banking CORPORATION on and after FRIDAY Next. the Bist Instant.

the Office of the Company for Warrants. By Order of the Board of Directors. P. A. DA COSTA,

Secretary. Hongkong, January 20, 1879,

LATE ARRIVALS.

(700LLEN SOCKS, DRAWERS and UNDERSHIRTS. LETTS'S DIARIES. LETTS'S DIARIES. RIDING WHIPS, BRIDLES and PONY HARNESS. RUG STRAPS, YORK HAMS, CHIT BOOKS, HORSE CLIPPERS, FILTERS, SILBER LAMPS.

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Hongkong, January 9, 1879.

intimations. THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COM

PANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE TENTH ORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be Held at the Company's Office, 39, Queen's Road, Victoria, at HALF-PAST Two o'Clock in the Afternoon of MON DAY, the 24th February next, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Directors for the year ending 31st December, 1878.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 11th to the 24th February, both days inclusive. By Order,

JAS. B. COUGHTRIE,

Secretary. Hongkong, January 24, 1879. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK

COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE ORDINARY YEARLY MEET ING of SHAREHOLDERS will be Held in the Office of the Company, Club Chambers, on MONDAY, 24th February, 1879, at 3 p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1878; and for the election of Directors and Auditors.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 10th to the 24th Instant, both days included. By Order of the Board of Directors,

D. GILLIES. Secretary. Hongkong, February 6, 1879.

THE CHINESE INSURANCE CO., LIMITED.

OTICE is hereby given, that an EXTRAORDINARY GÉNERAL MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of the above-named Company, will be Held at the Company's Office, No. 39, Queen's Road, in the city of Victoria, Hongkong, on MONDAY, the 10th day of March next, at 3 p.m., for the purpose of passing certain Special Resolutions providing for the following alterations in the Constitution and Articles of Association of the Company; viz.:-

1.-That the Business of the Company be in future managed by a Board of Directors and a Secretary instead of the former and General Agents as heretofore.

2.—That if in the opinion of the Directors the Business of the Company in any Payment of Interest at \$12 per cent. | included. per annum on the Paid-up Capital, they may during such year reduce such Mate to such lower amount as they may consider desirable for the Interests of the Company,

shall arise to pay such Inferest or any part thereof out of the Reserve

4.-To provide that when there shall be profits applicable for dividend the same shall be divisible an the Shareholders in Meeting shall determine. i.-That Fourteen Days instead of Thirty Days notice may be given of all Moetings of the Company,

6. That Clause 147 of the Articles the Company be expunged, leaving future changes in the Regulations of | to 31st L'ecember, 1878. the Company to be made as provided for by Ordinance No. 1 of 1865,

NOTICE is hereby also given, that a Second EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of same Hour and Place on MONDAY, the 24th day of March next, for the purpose of Confirming such Special Resolutions as Shareholders are requested to apply at may be passed at the First mentioned

Dated this Third day of February, 1879, By Order J, BRADLEE SMITH. General Agent.

intimations.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

SHAREHOLDERS in this CORPORATION will be Held at the CITY HALL, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 15th day of February pose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1878.

By Order of the Court of Directors. T. JACKSON,

Hongkong, January 30, 1879. HUNGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

NTOTICE is hereby given, that the CORPORATION will be CLOSED from MONDAY, the 3rd, to SATURDAY, the 15th February next (both days inclusive), during which period no transfer of Shares

By Order of the Court of Directors, T. JACKSON,

Hongkong, January 30, 1879. THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Tenth Ordinary Annual MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be Held at the Office of the Company, No. 7, Queen's Road, on WED-NESDAY, the 26th February next, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, to receive prising :-a Statement of Accounts for the Year 1878, the Report of the General Managers, and to elect a Consulting Committee and

Auditors. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General. Managers.

Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Limited. Hongkong, January 30, 1879, THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE

NOTICE.

COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 12th to year be such as not to Warrant the the 26th day of February next, both days

Hongkong, January 80, 18: 9.

THE ORDINARY ANNUAL MEET-ING of the SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company, will be Held at the Office of the General Agents, on THURS. DAY, the 20th Instant, at 11 a.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Ga-

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents.

Hongkong, February 4, 1879. CHINA SUGAR REFINING COM-

THE Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 6th to the 20th Instant, both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Hongkong, February 4, 1879.

CORPORATION.

NTOTICE is hereby given, that the Ordinary Yearly MEETING of the next, at THREE O'CLOCK p.m., for the pur-

Chief Manager.

CORPORATION.

REGISTERS of SHARES of the can be registered.

Thief Manager.

COMPANY, LIMITED.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers, Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Limited

CHINA SUGAR REFINING COM-PANY, LIMITED.

neral Agents, with a Statement of Accounts

PANY, LIMITED.

General Agents.

Entertainment.

CITY HALL. HONGKONG.

THE HONGKONG CHORAL SOCIET

will perform THURSDAY EVENING, February 13th, 1879.

THE ENTIRELY ORIGINAL NAUTICAL COMIC OPERA. In Three Acts,

Entitled: M. S. "PINAFORE," THE LASS THAT LOVED A

SAILOR.

W. S. GILBERT and ARTHUR SULLIVAN,

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Captain Corcoran, Commanding H. M. S. Mr WM, PHEBUS. Pinafore..... Ralph Rackstraw, Able Mr Tom Bowling. Seaman,.... Dick Deadeye, Able Mr E. Ewing. Seaman,

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Little Buttercup, a Bum-Mad. CHERVAU. boat Woman,..... First Lord's Sisters, his Consins, his Aunts, Sailors, Marines, &c.,

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Mr R. Swiveller,

MEMBERS OF THE H. K. CHORAL SOCIETY. Conductor, Mr C. F. A. SANGSTER. Accompanyist, Mr F. PANIZZA. By kind permission of Colonel Jago, and

Officers of the 74th Regiment, the Band will Perform selections during each interval in the Entertainment.

Doors Open at 8.30 p.m., Performance to Commence at 9 Tickers may be secured and Seats reserved at Messrs Lane, Crawford & Co.'s.

G. B. EMORY. Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, February 6, 1879.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instruc-

tions to sell by Public Auction, WEDNESDAY.

the 12th February, 1879, at 2 p.m., at the Residence of Messrs W. Pustau & Co., Praya,--The whole of the HOUSEHOLD

and OFFICE FURNITURE, &c., com-Green Rep covered Drawing-room

Blackwood Carved Sofas. Blackwood Carved Marble-top Centre Tables, Side Tables, and Tea Poys. Gasaliers, Gas Brackets, Engravings, Mirrors, Clocks, Carpets, and Hearth-

Whatnots, Dinner, Dessert, and Breakfast Sets, Glass-ware and Plated-ware, Bedsteads, Wardrebes, Couches, Chairs, Davenports, Glass Book-cases and Books. Office Desks, Shelves, Pigeon Holes,

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Paper Presses, Book Stands, Copying Press, Cup-boards, &c. 1 PIANO, by B. HARTEL. l Patent Fireproof IRON SAFE.

1 6 Oared BOAT, with Oars, Awning, &c., complete. Catalogues will be issued, and the whole to be on view on and after Mon-

TERMS OF SALE.—As customery, J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer. Hongkong, February 5, 1879

Shipping.

Fteamers. FOR SINGAPORE, PORT DARWIN,

day, the 10th Instant.

BRISBANE, SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE, (Calling off the usual Coast Ports, and taking through Cargo and Passengers

for New Zealand.) The Eastern and Atistralian Mail Steam Co. a Steamer "BRISBANE," Captain Reports, will have immediate despatch as above. For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkong, February 1, 1879.

Shipping.

Steamers. FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. The Steamship "DOUGLAS,"

Capt. M. Young, will be deon SUNDAY, the 9th Instant, at Daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, February 6, 1879. FOR LONDON VIA THE SUEZ CANAL

(Calling at SINGAPORE and COLOMBO.) The Steamship "GLENGYLE," Capt. Quartry, will be de-DAY, the 14th Instant, at Noon, For Freight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, February 4, 1879. FOR AMOY.

The Steamship Capt. THEBAUD, shortly due, will have quick despatch for he above Port.

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, February 7, 1879. FOR YOKOHAMA & HIOGO.

The Steamship "RADNORSHIRE," shortly due from Singapore, will have immediate despatch as above.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, February 3, 1879. Sailing Vessels.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

FOR HAMBURG. The 3/3 L. 11 German Schooner "HOLSTEIN," KULPER, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co. Hongkong, February 5, 1879. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 American Ship "BLACK HAWK," How LAND, Master, will load here for the above Port, and

will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co.

Hongkong, January 30, 1879. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A I American Bark "ROSETTA McNEIL." Brown, Master, will load bere for the above Port, and will

VOGEL & Co. Hongkong, January 30, 1879. FOR LONDON. The 3/3 L.I.I. Norwegian Ship "EUMARLIDE," Tobiasen, Master, will load

here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co.

Hongkong, January 30, 1879. FOR HONOLULU.

have immediate despatch.

For Freight, apply to

The A 1 American Barkenting "MIGNON." Soule, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL & CQ.

Hongkong, January 30, 1879. FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 British Bark "HAZELHURST,"
Goudey, Master, will lead here
for the above Port, and will have quick despatch,

For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co. Hongkong, January 30, 1879. FOR NEW YORK.

"AGATE," PIRE, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

The A I American Bark

VOGEL & Co.

Hongkong, January 20, 1879. FOR NEW YORK. The American Ship "FLEETWING," GURST, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will

VOGEL & Ca Hongkong, December 3, 1878.

have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

THE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY of Mr WALTER SCOTT FITZ, in our Firm in Hongkong and China, CEASED on the 31st December last. Mr CHARLES VINCENT SMITH is

admitted a Partner from This Date. RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, January 1, 1879.

NOTIOE.

HAVE admitted Captain EDWARD BURNIE to an Interest in my Bustness of MARINE SURVEYOR, R. H. CALRNS.

Club Chambers. Hongkong, February 6, 1879.

NOTICE.

HAVE This Day Established myself as a COMMISSION MERCHANT, &co., at No. 2, Queen's Road, under the Style of | be conveyed vid Bombay without tranship. "J. G. SMITH & Co."

J. GRANT SMITH. Hongkong, January 1, 1879.

NOTICE.

MR. EZEKIEL ABRAHAM SOLOin our Firm at this Port and In China, from 1st January, 1879.

E. D. SASSOON & Co. Hongkong, January 24, 1879.

NOTICE. TR. ROBERT BERNHARD has This Day CEASED to be a Partner in our Business.

HEINEMANN & Co., Ship Brokers. Hongkong, January 17, 1879.

NOTICE. HAVE This Day Established myself as GENERAL MERCHANT and COMMISSION AGENT at this Port. During my temporary absence from Chins, my Business will be CONDUCTED by Mr EDWARD DAVIS, who is also authorized to Sign my name per Procura-

F. R. TALBOT. Canton, February 5, 1879.

NOTIOE.

THE Interest and Responsibility of the Undersigned in the Chinese Mail, SION. 日報 (Wah Tete Yat Po), 4 p.m., of 21st February. Parcel Packages CRABED from the 1st August, 1877, but Debts prior to that Date will be received and paid by him. CHUN AYIN.

Hongkong, April 6, 1878.

NOTICE,

TN Reference to the above, the Undersigned has LEABED the Chinese Mail from the 1st August, 1877, and has engaged the services of Mr Leong Yook Onun, as Translator and General Manager of the newspaper, which under its new régime will be found to be, as hitherto, an excellent medium for advertising, especially sa the Manager is able to devote his whole attention to the conduct of the Newspaper. KONG CHIM.

Lessee of the Hongkong Chinese Mail. Horighong, April 6, 1878.

To Let.

TO LET.

DORTION of a HOUSE, very suitable for OFFICES and DWELLING, also for a STORE, Queen's Road Central. Possession 1st March next.

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Hongkong, February 4, 1879.

TO LET.

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FIRST FLOOR, No. 2, with possession 1st February. HOUSE No. 4, Praya East, either the whole House or in Flats, with possession on the lat April next.

FRONT and BACK ROOM in the Dwniling to the eastward of the Pier, with part of its spacious Verandah. Imme-

diato Possession. TRET CLASS GRANITE GODOWNS, attached to Blue Houses at Wanchai,

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For further particulars, apply to MEYER & Co.

Hongkong, August 15, 1878.

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Praya Central.

TURNER & Co.

Hongkong, August 1, 1878.

TOLET.

TIRST OLA DE OFFICES and GO DOWNS, Nos. 54 and 60, Praya Contral.

WO HANG,

Nos. 6 and 7, Praya West. Monotono, January 9, 1879,

Notices to Consignees.

Falls. FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE. THE S. S. Moray having arrived from

1 the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery STEAM FOR of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge will be at SINGAPORE, PENANG, POINT DE once landed and stored at Consignees' risk GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, MALTA,

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BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND

AUSTRALIA.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM

MALWA, Captain P. S. Tomlin, will leave

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ATLANTIC STEAMERS.

on or about the 15th day of March, 1879, at

3 p.m., taking Cargo and Passengers for

Connection is made at Yokohama, with

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PAUKAGES will be received at the Office

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half a year and longer will be allowed a

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Efforts have been made to establish

Agents for circulating the Chinese Mail in all

the ports and in the interior of China, all

and other places which Chiness frequent.

When the list of Agencies is completed,

it will be published. Agents have been

one agent has been appointed at each.

Houghons, Tehrunty 28, 1874,

established in most of the above

and in important ports more than

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Honghong, February 6, 1879.

Japan, the United States and Europe.

Steamers from Shanghai.

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BAGE TICKETS.

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ed for San Francisco via Yokohama,

Collector of Customs at San Francisco.

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Hongkong, January 28, 1879.

trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers.

Through Bills of Lading issued for tran-

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PEKING will be despatched for San

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NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam-ship

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THE S. S. Arratoon Apear, Japt. A. B. MACTAVISH, having arrived from the Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.

Cargo impeding the discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

. Agents. Hongkong, February 7, 1879. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

NOTION TO CONSIGNEES.

MARITIMES.

Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and take immediate delivery. This Cargo has been landed and stored at First-class Risks at Current Rates. their risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. L. HENNEQUIN, Actg. Agent.

Ex "Yangtsé."

HHJ (in cross) MIC (underneath) No. 4041, Messrs Aldridge Sa'man & Co., 1 case Alpacas, from London. H R (in diamond) No. 213/15, Messra Rose & Co., 8 cases Hosiery, &c., from London.

Hongkong, February 1, 1879.

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TITASHERMAN'S BOOKS, for the use of Ladies and Gentlemen, are now ready at this Office. - Price, \$1 each. CHINA MAIL Office.

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Circular, large sheet. AMENDED HONG LIST, in English and Chinese, containing the Names of all the most important Companies, Institutions and Mercantile Houses in the Colony.

Price, 25 cents each; or \$2.50 per dozen.

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Insurances.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE.)

CAPITAL, Two MILLIONS STERLING.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant POLICIES against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms and Conditions. THE S. S. BELGIC will be despatch-

Proposals for Life Assurances will be received, and transmitted to the Directors for their decision.

If required, protection will be granted on first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single

Freight will be received on Board until For Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or any other information, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agente, Hongkong & Canton

Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED.)

notice.

TOOLICIES granted at current rates on Marine Risks to all parts of the World. In accordance with the Company's Articles of Association, Two Thirds of the Profit, are distributed annually to Contributores whether Shareholders or not, in proportion to the nett amount of Premia contributed by each, the remaining third being carried to Reserve Fund. J. BRADLEE SMITH.

General Agent.

Hongkong, December 9, 1878.

THE SCOTTISH IMPERIAL INSUR-ANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the abovenamed Company, are prepared to Grant the ports in Japan, in Salgon, Singapore, Penang, Calcutta, Batavia, Manila, the Phillippines, Australia, San Francisco, Peru Policies against FIRE on Buildings and on Goods to the extent of \$50,000, at the usual Rates, subject to an immediate Discount of 20 per sent. Attention is invited to a considerable

reduction in Premia for Life Insurance in per cent. MEYER & Co. Hongkong, August 18, 1879,

Insurances.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY. HE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates.

MELCHERS & Co., Agents, Royal Insurance Company. Hongkong, October 27, 1874.

> QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$45,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein, at current local rates, subject to a Discount of 20% on the Premia.

NORTON & Co., Agents. Hongkong, January 1, 1874.

BERLIN COLOGNE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, BERLIN.

Guarantee Funds of the Company's Reinsurers,... M. 100,000,000 Shareholders' Capital,.... ,, 6,000,000 Premiums and Interests for 1877,....

Makes a Grand Total of... M. 112,823,763 Capital Insured end of 1877, M. 1,924,507,681

MONSIGNEES of the following Cargo | THE Undersigned having been Appointare requested to send in their Bills of L ed AGENTS GENERAL for the above Company, are prepared to grant Insurances to the extent of \$50,000 on GROSSMANN & Co.,

> . Agents General. Hongkong, January, 1879.

5,157,648

THE GUARDIAN FIRE AND LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY, LONDON.

THE AGENCY of the above Company at this Port and at FOOCHOW has This Day been Transferred to the Under. Express. signed, who are prepared to accept Risks and grant Policies at Current Rates. BIRLEY & Co.

Hongkong, January 11, 1879.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE-HONGKONG.

GENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of A China and Japan, and at Singapore, Saigon and Penang. Risks accepted, and Policies of Insurance granted at the rates of Premium current at

the above mentioned Ports. NO CHARGE FOR POLICY PERS.

JAS, B. COUGHTRIE, Secretary.

Hongkong, November 1, 1871.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER

His Majesty King George The First, A. D. 1720.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Corporation are prepared to grant Insurances as follows:-Marine Department. Policies at current rates payable either

here, in Loudon or at the principal Ports of India, China and Australia. Fire Department. Policies issued for long or short periods at

current rates. A discount of 20 % allowed. Life Department. Policies issued for sums not exceeding

£5,000 at reduced rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, July 25, 1872.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

Established 1824.

Capital of the Company £1,000,000 Sterling of which is paid up £ 100,000 Reserve Fund upwards of £ 120,000 Annual Income £ 250,000

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for the above Company at Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai, and Hankow, and are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, October 15, 1868. NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE

INSURANCE COMPANY. Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament,

> Established 1809. CAPITAL £2,000,000.

THE Undersigned, Agents at Hongkong I for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies against F RE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same, at the usual Rates, subject to a discount of 20 GILMAN & Co.,

Agente. Hongkong, July 6, 1876.

Intimations.

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COODS RECEIVED on STORAGE at Moderate Rates, in FIRST-CLASS GODOWNS, under European supervision; and VESSELS Discharged alongside the WHARF, on favorable Terms, with quick despatch.

MEYER & Co., Proprietors.

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THE FOLKLORE OF CHINA; N. B. DENNYS, PH.D.

THE following are selected from numerous notices which have appeared in the London, Continental and Eastern

Dr. Dennys has done good service in bringing together and presenting in readable form the hitherto scattered contributions to Chinese Folklore-Times. A very important addition to Folklore

literature—Athenœum. The book is entertaining and adds a good deal to the facts of comparative mythology AGREEMENTS

_Pall Mall Budget. A worthy pendant to Archdeacon Gray's valuable volumes-Graphic. A very amusing and very instructive

book-Spectator. Adds useful testimony to curious informatlon-Ill. London News. Full of curious interest to the general reader and of valuable material for the

ethnological philosopher-British Quarterly We are indebted to Dr. Dennys for a welcome addition to all existing stores of popular superstitions-John Bulk-A work which merits attention as being

to a large extent sui generis-Globe. An interesting and important work. Printed on fine paper it will be a book for the boudoir as well as for the savant-Naval and Military Gazette.

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mythology-(Shanghai) Celestial Empire Dr. Dennys has contributed not a little to exhibit the inner life and mode of thought of the Chinese people-Nort China Herald. Amusing and instructive enough to command a ready sale-Hongkong Daily Press.

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a very interesting and valuable volume even if he has not established his theory -New York Nation. Representative of the interest and importance of the study of folklore-London

We may thank Mr. Dennys for treating the subject with broad ideas and from a high plane-New York Evening Post. Dr. Dennys appears to have dons his work with great thoroughness-Australa-

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University Magazine. For Sale by Mesers, Lane, CRAWFORD [1w11ap79

Hongkong, Jan. 11, 1879. Volume Seventh of the "CHINA REVIEW."

No. S.-Vol. VII. _OF THEccentina benew of CONTAINS—

Jottings from the Book of Rites. Geographical Notes on the Province of Ethnological Sketches from the Dawn of

Coins of the "Ta'Ts'ing" Dynasty. The Oritical Disquisitions of Wang Chiung. The Ballads of the Shi-king. Translations of Chinese School-books. Tonic and Vocal Modification in the Foochow Dialect.

Legislation and Law in Ancient China. A Plea for "Fan-kwai." Short Notices of New Books and Literary Intelligence. Notes and Queries :-Taxes on Industries in Canton.

A Bit of Folk-lore about Candles, Lamps and Fire. Legends on Chinese Porcelain. Tame Birds. To make a Tui (Antithesis). "Respect This." The Army of Kwangtung. Gutta Percha in China. Chinese Dislects. "Confucius Losing a Horse in the Desert."

Books Wanted, Ezchanges, &c. China Mail Office. Hongkong, January 21, 1879.

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Amoy. - Ohtin Cheong Hong, Mook Kek Foochow .- Mr Yu Ching Cheong, Foo-

Chuen Fook, Educational Mission School; and Mow Sing Sang Kee shop.

pal Office, Yokohama. Saigon. - Wohang Hong.

Nous savons gré à l'auteur de la peine The above are some of the Agencies, others will be published, when they are arranged for. Negociations are in progress with the express couriers who carry the official despatches and Peking Gazettes, to

Houghong, March 10, 1874

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RATES. POSTAL

[Subjoined we give the postal rates now in force for transmission of correspondence to all parts of the world. Detailed rules affecting the transmis- book packet of the same weight. sion of packets, parcels, &c., will be found annexed, together with a number of miscellaneous and useful notices.]

Hongkong Rates of Postage.

(Revised June 7th, 1878.)

In the following Statements and Tables the Rates are given in cents, and are, for Letters, per half ounce, for Books and Patterns, per two ounces.

Newspapers over four ounces in weight are charged as double, treble, &c., as the case may be, but such papers or packets of papers may be sent at Book Rate. Two Newspapers must not be folded together as one, nor must anything whatever be inserted except bona fide Supplements. Printed matter may, however, be enclosed, if the whole be paid at Book Rate. Prices Current may be paid either as Newspapers or Books.

N.R. means No Registration.

Countries of the Postal Union.

The Union may be taken to comprise Europe, most foreign possessions in Asia, Japan, W. Africa, Egypt, Mauritlus, all N. America, Brazil, Peru, The Argentine Republic, Jamaica, Trinidad, Guiana, Honduras, Bermuda, Labuan, with all Danish, French, Netherlands, Portuguese, and Spanish Colonies.

Countries NOT in the Union. - The chief countries not in the Union are: the Australasian Group, and Central America.

Postage to Union Countries.

General Rates, by any route :-12 cents per 1 oz. Letters, 8 cents. Registration, 2 cents each. Newspapers, 4 cents per 2 oz. Books and Patterns,

Exceptional rates, to the United King dom and Union Countries served through the United Kingdom via Brindisi only:-16 cents per ½ oz. Letters, . 8 cents. Registration. 4 conts each. Newspapers,

6 cents per 2 oz. Books and Patterns, There is no charge on redirected correspondence within the Postal Union.

Postage to Non-Union Countries.

Aspinwall (N.R.), Babamas, Guatemale (N.R.), Haytı (N.R.), Mexico (N.R.) Panama (N.R.), Salvador (N.R.), and Venezuela (N.B.):—

	Via San Francisco.	Via S. Hampton or Marseilles.	Via Brindisi
Letters,	16	84	38
Registration,	None.	12	12
Newspapers,	4	4	6
Books & Patter	ns, 6	8	10
Bolivia, Chil	i, Costa	Rica (N.R.)	, Ecua-

dor (N.R.), New Granada (N.R.), Nicaragi (N.R.): — Letters,

Newspapers,	6	6	8						
Books & Patterns	, 14	10	12						
Registration,	12.	None.	None.						
Hawaiian Kingdom :									
Letters,	16	16	20						
Registration,	None.	None.	None.						
Newspapers,	4*	4	6						
Books & Patterns	8*	6	8						

W. Indies (except as above), Paraguay, Letters,

Uruguay:-Newspapers, ... Books & Patterns, -Registration to British & Union) West Indies only, }

Australia, New Zealand, Tasmania, Fiji, Natal, Cape, St. Helena, Ascension.

Letters, by Contract Packet 24; by Private Ship 12, Registration, 12; Newspapers, 2; Books and Patterns, 4,

* A small extra charge is made on delivery.

LOCAL AND TOWN POSTAGE.	Letters	Registrati	Nеwspape.	Bks. & Pt Per 2 03
Within any Town or Settlement, or between Hongkong, Canton, and Macao, in either direction. Between any other two of the following places (through a British Office) viz.:—Hongkong, Macao, Ports of China and Japan, Bangkok, Cochin	2	8	2	2
China, Tonquin, and the Philippines, by Private Ship,	4	8	2	.2
Between the above by Con- tract Mail.	8	8	2	4

Any publication fulfilling the conditions hereafter named can pass as a newspaper.

The conditions are as follows :---

1st. The publication must consist wholly or in great part of political or other news, or of articles relating thereto, or to other current topics, with or without advertisements.

2nd. It must be published in numbers at intervals of not more than 31 days, and must be printed on a sheet or sheets unstitched.

3rd. The full title and date of publication inust be printed at the top of the first page. and the whole or part of the title and the date of publication at the top of every subsequent page; and this regulation applies sharp pointed instruments, samples of to Tables of Contents and Indices.

4th. A supplement must consist wholly or in great part of matter like that of a newspaper, or of advertisements, printed on a sheet or sheets, or a piece or pieces of kinds; paper, unatitched; or wholly or in part of engravings, prints, or lithographs illustrative of articles in the newspaper. The applement must in every case be published ith the newspaper, and must have the

printed at the top of every page; or, if it consists of engravings, prints, or lithographs,

at the top of every sheet or side. A packet containing two or more newspapers is not chargeable with a higher rate of postage than would be chargeable on a

The postage must be prepaid either by an adhesive stamp, or by the use of a stamped

Every newspaper must be posted either without a cover (in which case it must not be fastened, whether by means of gum, wafer, sealing wax, postage stamp, otherwise) or in a cover entirely open at both ends, so as to admit of easy removal for examination. If this rule be infringed the newspaper is treated as a letter.

Every newspaper must be so folded, as to admit of the title being readily in-

apported. A newspaper or packet of newspapers which contains any enclosure except supplements is charged as a letter, unless the enclosure be such as might be sent at the book rate of postage, and the entire backet be sufficiently prepaid as a book packed in which case it is allowed to pass.

A newspaper which has any letter, or any communication of the nature of a letter. written in it or upon its cover, is charged as an unpaid or insufficiently paid letter.

No packet of newspapers may be above length, one foot in width, nor one in depth.

A book-packet may contain any number of separate books or other publications (including printed or lithographed letters), photographs (when not on glass or in cases containing glass or any like aubstance), drawings, prints, or maps, and any quantity of paper, or any other substance in ordinary use for writing or printing upon; and the books or other publications, prints, maps, &c., may be either printed, written, engraved, lithographed, or plain, or any mixture of these. Further, all legitimat binding, mounting, or covering of a book, de., or of a portion thereof, is allowed whether such binding, &c. be loose or attached; as also rollers in the case of prints or maps, markers (whether of paper or otherwise) in the case of books, pens or pencils in the case of pocket-books, &c., and, in short, whatever is necessary for the safe transmission of such articles, or usually appertains thereto; but the binding, rollers, &c. must not be sent as a separate packet.

Circulars, -i e., letters which are intended for transmission in identical terms to neveral persons, and the whole or the greater part of which is printed, engraved, or lithographed, may also be sent by book post.

But a book-packet may not contain any letter, or communication of the nature of a (whether separate or otherwise), unless it be a circular-letter or be wholly printed; nor any enclosure sealed or in any way closed against inspection. If this rule be infringed, the entire packet is charged as a letter.

be fastened, whether by means of gum, come offensive or injurious in transit. wafer, sealing wax, postage stamp, or otherwise) or in a cover entirely open at greater security of the contents, however, It may be tied at the ends with string; Postmasters being authorised to cut the they must again tie up the packet.

No book-packet may be above 5 lbs. in weight, nor above 24 inches in length, 12 inches in width, or 12 inches in depth, unless it be sent to or from one of the Government offices.

When, owing to a great and unusual influx of letters, books, etc., the transmission or delivery of the letters would be delayed if the whole mail were dealt with without distinction, book-packets may be kept back till the next despatch or delivery.

PATTERNS.

They must not be of intrinsic value. This rule excludes all articles of a saleable nature, and indeed whatever may have a value of its own, apart from its mereuse as a pattern; and the quantity of any material sent ostensibly as a pattern must not be so great that it can fairly be considered as having on this ground an intrinsic value.

Pattern and Sample Post to colonies and foreign countries is restricted to bona fide. trade patterns or simples of merchandise. Goods sent for sale, or in execution of an order (however small the quantity may be), or any articles sent by one private individual to another, which are not actual patterns or samples, are not admissible.

Patterns or samples, when practicable, must be sent in covers open at the ends. and in such a manner as to be easy of examination. Samples of seeds, drugs, and such like articles, which cannot be sent in covers of this kind, but such articles only. -may be posted enclosed in boxes, or bags of linen of other material, fastened in such a manner that they may be readily opened; or, in the case of seet's do., in bags entirely closed, provided such closed bags are transparent, so as to enable the Officers of the Post Office readily to satisfy themselves as to the nature of the contents,

There must be no writing or printing upon or in any packet except the address of the person for whom it is intended, the address of the sender, a trade mark or number, and the price of the articles.

The rule which forbide the transmission through the Post of any article likely to injure the contents of the Mail Bags or Boxes, or the person of any Officer of the Post Office is, of course, applicable to the Pattern Post | and a packet containing anything of the kind will be stopped, and not sent to its destination. Articles such as the following have been occasionally posted as Patterns, and have been detained as unfit for the Post, viz 1 Metal boxes, porcelain and China, fruit, vegetables, bunches of flowers cuttings of plants, spurs, knives, sciesors, needles; pins, pieces of machinery. metals, samples of ore, samples in glass bottles, pieces of glass, acids of various kinds, curry combs, copper and attel engraving plates, and confectionery of all

Such articles as žolskora, knives, razora. forks, steel pens, nails, keys, watch machinery, metal tubing, pieces of metal or ore, provided that they be packed and guarded in so accure a manner as to afford

title and date of publication of the newspaper | complete protection to the contents of the mail bags and to the Officers of the Post Office, while at the same time they may be easily examined, may be sent as samples. Indigo cannot be sent to any place.

> To provide the greatest possible facilities for posting Correspondence for Europe, &c., up to the latest moment before the departure of the French Packets, arrangements have been made for receiving at the Post Office late letters-except those to and through Australia-from 11.10 A.M. to 11.30 A.M. Each letter must bear a late fee of 18 cents extra postage.

> A similar supplementary Mall is made up for Shanghai by the English and French Contract Steamers, the late letters being received from 10 minutes after, up to half an hour after the time of closing. The late fee is also 18 cents.

Miscellaneous Notices.

Local Delivery.

.1. All correspondence posted before 5 p.m. on any week day for addresses in Victoria will be delivered the same day, and generally within two hours, unless the delivery should be retarded by the Contract

2. Invitations, &c., can generally be delivered within Victoria at the private 5 lbs. in weight, nor above two feet in houses of the addressees rather than at places of business, if a wish to that effect be expressed by the sender, otherwise all correspondence is invariably delivered at the nearest place of business. (See Postal Guide, par. 103.)

8. Boxholders who desire to send Circulars, Dividend Warrants, Invitations, Cards, &c., all of the same weight, to addresses in Hongkong, Bangkok, or the Ports of China and Japan, may deliver them to the Post Office unstamped, the postage being then charged to the sender's account. Each batch must consist of at least ten.

4. Boxholders may also send Patterns to the same places in the same way. Envelopes containing Patterns may be wholly closed if the nature of the contents be first exhibited or stated to the Postmaster General, as he may consider necessary, and approved by him. Printed Circulars may be inserted in such Pattern Packets.

Local Parcel Post.

1. Small Parcels may be sent by Post between any of the British Post Offices in China or Japan, as well as to Macao. Pakhoi, Singapore, Penang, and Malacea. They must not exceed the following dimen-Bions, 2 feet long, 1 foot broad, 1 foot deep, nor weigh more than 5lbs. The postage will be 20 cents per lb., which will include Registration. The parcels may be wholly closed if they bear this special endorsement, PARCEL, CONTAINING NO LETTER, but any parcel may be opened by direction of the Postmaster General.

2. The following cannot be transmitted Parcels insufficiently packed or protected or liable to be crushed (as bandboxes, &c.) Glass, Liquids, Explosive substances, Matches, Indigo, Dyestuffs, Ice, Meat, A book-packet may be posted either Fish, Game, Fruit, Vegetables, or whatever without a cover (in which case it must not is dangerous to the Mails, or likely to be-

3. Parcels will as a general rule be forwarded by Private Ship, not by Contract both ends, so as to admit of the contents | Mail Packet. The Post Office reserves the being easily withdrawn for examination; right of selecting the opportunity for transotherwise it is treated as a letter. For the mission, and of delaying delivery in case the number of parcels is such as to retard other correspondence. No responsibility is accepted with regard to any parcel, but string in such cases, although if they do so the system of Registration will secure the senders against any but a very remote probability of loss.

4. The public are cautioned not to confound these facilities with a Parcel Post to Europe, &c., which does not exist.

Mails exchanged with Manila and Saigon. The Philippine Islands being now admit-

ted into the General Postal Union, it follows that all paid correspondence received from Manila in the mails will be delivered free by this Uffice, and that all paid correspondence sent to Manila in the mails should be delivered free there.

Article IX of the Postal Treaty of Berne provides that " Neither the senders nor the addressees of letters and other postal packets shall be called upon to pay, either in the Country of Origin, or in that of Destination, any tax or duty other than the recognised rates levied (in the case of paid correspondenc) by the despatching Office. It is hoped that any extra charge, or apparently extra charge, will at once be brought to the notice of the proper authorities, in either Colony.

The above does not apply in any to loose letters sent outside the mails. These will always be charged on arrival in Bongkong and probably the Manila Office will adopt the same course.

Complaints are sometimes received of extra charges on correspondence exchanged between this Colony and Saigon, but it is believed it would be found in all cases that the letters, &c., had been sent loose.

Any Foreign stamps on loose correspondence are obliterated in this Office.

Indian Correspondents. Unpaid Letters are not received for the

Indian Mail Packets. The Pre-payment of correspondence for the Straits, India, Ceylon, and Aden is compulsory by whatever opportunity it is forwarded.

Registration to Bangkok.

Her Britannic Majesty's Consul General for Sigm has been good enough to make arrangements by means of which correspondence can be Registered to Bangkok, at the as a general rule, is liable to Customs usual charge of 8 cents.

Boldlers' and Sailors' Letters.

Privates in H. M. Army or Navy, Noncommissioned Officers, * Army Schoolmasters (not superintending or First Class) or Schoolinistresses may send half-ounce letters to the United Kingdom via Southampton by British Packet, for one penny ; or via Brindiei by British Packet for three-pence. Hongkong stamps will prepay this class of correspondence exactly the came as Imperial

Soldiers' and Sailors' letters are, however, charged as ordinary letters if they do not conform to the following regulations i-1. Not to exceed half an ounce. No with them.

double let ers are allowed. 2. If from a Soldier or Saller, his class or description must be stated in full on

* But not Watrant Officers, viz., Assistant Engineer, Gupper, Boatswain, or Carpenter.

the letter, and the commanding Officer must sign his name, with name of Regi-

ment, or Ship, &c., in full. 8. If to a Soldier or Sailor, his class or description must be stated in full, with name of Regiment, or Ship, &c., in full.

Mails for the United Kingdom, &c. by French Packet.

Under instructions from the London Post Office, the Mails for the United Kingdom which have hitherto been forwarded via Marseilles, will henceforth be forwarded via Naples, as it is understood that a gain of twelve hours results from the adoption of this route.

As it would be extremely inconvenient to divide the mail, and no practical advantage would result from doing so, all correspondence intended for the United Kingdom by French Packet will be sent via Naples, even though marked via Marsellles.

An impression appears to prevail that correspondence for the Mediterranean stations, Gibraltar, Malta, Cyprus, the Levant, Turkey, &co., can be forwarded only by British Packet. It can be forwarded also by French Packet, and if so forwarded generally arrives a week earlier than if it had been detained for the British Mail.

The Post Office is not, by law, responsible for any loss or inconvenience which may arise from the non-delivery, mis-sending, or mis-delivery of any letter, book, or other postal packet (even if the packet be registered) nor is the Post Office responsible for any injury which a packet may austain during its transmission.

To guard against such injury all postal packets which are likely to suffer from stamping or from great pressure should be placed in strong covers; and even with this precaution no fragile article should be sent through the Post. It should be remembered that every packet has to be handled several times; that it is exposed to considerable pressure and friction in the mail bag; and that, whenever the bag has in the course o its transmission to be transferred by means of the railway apparatus, the risk of injury

is much increased. No information can be given respecting letters which pass through a Post Office except to the persons to whom they are addressed; and in no other way is official information of a private character allowed to be made public. A Postmaster may, however, give an address if he has no reason to believe that the person whose address it

is would disapprove of his doing so. Postmasters are not allowed to return any letter or other packet to the writer or sender. or to any one else, or to delay forwarding it to its destination according to the address, even though a request to such effect be written thereon.

Postmasters are not bound to give change, nor are they authorized to demand change; and when money is paid at a Post Office. whether as change or otherwise, no question as to its right amount, goodness, or weight can be entertained after it has been removed from the counter.

Postmasters are not bound to weigh any letters or other packets for the public, but they may do so if their duty be not thereby

The practice of sealing letters passing to and from the East and West Indies, and other countries with hot climates, with wax (except such as is specially prepared), is attended with much inconvenience, and frequently with serious injury, not only to the letters so sealed but to the other letters in the mail, from the melting of the wax and adhesion of the letters to each other. The public are therefore recommended, in all such cases, to use either waters or gum, and to advise their correspondents in the countries referred to, to do the same.

The registration of a packet makes its transmission much more secure, inasmuch as, under ordinary circumstances, a registered packet can be traced through its whole course; and thus the loss of a registered packet is a very rare occurrence. Nevertheless large sums of money or other articles of great value should not be sent through the post, even if the packet be registered; as the machinery of the Department is not arranged with a view to such transmission. By law, the Post Office is not responsible for the safe delivery of registered packets: though any officer who may neglect his duty on this point will be called to strict account. Sent in unregistered letters, valuable articles are exposed to risk, and offer a temptation which ought not to be created: and the Department cannot in any wav indertake the safe conveyance of such packets. All inland or colonial letters, therefore, which contain coin, and all inland letters which contain watches or jewellery, even though they be posted without registration, are treated as register. ed, and charged on delivery with a double registration fee of eightpence in addition to the ordinary postage; and any such letters which cannot be registered in time to be forwarded by the Mail for which they are posted are detained for the next despatch. Even if the letter do not contain any article of intrinsic value, it should, if it be very important, be registered.

Most countries to which Hongkong forwards Correspondence having joined the General Postal Union or being probably about to do co, it is necessary that the

following rules be strictly observed. 1. No Letter or Packet, whether to be registered or unregistered, can be received for Postage if it contains gold or silvermoney. jewels, precious articles, or anything that,

duties. 2. This Regulation prohibits the sending of Patterns of dutlable stricles, unless the quantity sent be so small as to make the nample of no value. The limits of weight allowed are as

Books and Papers-to British Offices, 5 lbs.; to the Continent, &c., 2 lbs. Patterns-to British Offices, 5 lbs. if without intrinsic value; to the Continent, ~&o., 8 oz.

The following articles cannot be sent by Post at all : Glass, Liquids, Gunpowder, Matches, Candles, Stap, Indigo, Dye-stuffs, or whatever is dangerous to the Mails, or offensive or injurious to persons dealing

PARCELS. The public is reminded that there is no such thing as Parcet Post to Europe, &c. Much trouble and disappointment is caused by persistent attempts to send small valuable trides through the Fans, Curios, Artisles of Dress

Fancy Work, and similar presents are continually being refused, the senders having often spent more in Postage than would have paid the freight by steamer. No refund can be made on such parcels of the value of Stamps obliterated before the nature of the contents was discovered.

PATTERNS.-Some difficulty is experienced in obtaining a general understanding of what is a Pattern. It is a bond fide sample of goods which the sender has for sale, or of goods which he wishes to order. It is to consist of the smallest possible quantity compatible with shewing what the goods are, and must have no intrinsic value.

To provide means of remitting small sums of money to or from this Colony and between the Ports of China and Japan, the Postmasters and Agents of this Office will in future be allowed (but not required) to purchase Hongkong Postage Stamps from foreign residents.

Between Hongkong and Shanghal, or Hongkong and Yokohama, however, either direction, Money-Orders must be

The Stamps tendered for sale must not exceed \$50 in value, must be perfectly clean, in good condition, and in strips of at least two, as no separate Stamps will be purchased. They must be presented personally or accompanied by a note.

The Postmaster or Agent may postpone purchasing if his public funds in hand are not sufficient, and he will refuse to purchase in any case which appears doubtful or auspicious. He is allowed to charge Commission of one per cent on all Stamps purchased.

Letters containing Stamps should Registered, and the Stamps should secured from observation.

During the N.E. Monsoon, the Charterers and Agents of sailing ships for Manila, Saigon, Haifong and Bangkok are requested to give notice to the Post Office of the departures of such ships.

No correspondence will be forwarded by sailing yessel but such as is specially so

The Stamp Office being now provided with a 3 cent die, Books of Receipts, Rent Collectors' Books, &c., can be stamped beforehand in the same manner as Cheque Books. Loose receipt forms can also be stamped if required.

Money Order Regulations.

1.-Money Orders on the United Kingdom and the Straits Settlements are issued at Hongkong, Shanghai and Yokohama. Shanghai and Yokohama also issue on Hongkong and vice versa.

2 -Small sums may be remitted between the other Ports by means of Postage 3.—Many Money Orders are supplied to

residents at the smaller Ports in this way. An application for an order* is filled up, Banian and is enclosed with a stamped, directed, and unsealed envelope to the Postmaster at Belcarry the nearest issuing office. The application | Ben Glos must be accompanied with the full amount | Benefactor (including commission) in cheque, postage | Bertha Marion stamps, or other equivalent of cash, and a Bertie Biglow little margin should be left for variations of exchange. The Postmaster issues the order, sends it on in the envelope, and returns the change, if any, by first opportunity, with a receipt for the letter, if it were to be registered, as it always should be. Care should be taken to send these applications in time, as the Money Order Offices close some hours before the departures of the mails.

4.-No order must exceed £10, or include any fraction of a penny. Orders will be drawn at the current rate of the day! and paid at the rate of the day when the | Craigie Lea advice arrived.

The commission is as follows :---

Orders on the United Kingdom.

Up to £2...... 18 conts. £5......36 ,, £7.....54 ,, £10......72 ,,

Local Money Orders (including Straits Settlements). ,, 50 ,, 30 ,,

5,-Lists of Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom may be consulted at Hongkong, Shanghai, and Yokohama.

6.-Names must be given in full (except when there is more than one Christian Harkaway name) but the name of the Payse need not | Hattie N. Bangs : be given if the order be crossed (as cheques | Hawkesbury are crossed). It can then be paid only Holen through a Bank, and may afterwards be Herat specially crossed to any Bank.

7.-No order can be paid till the Payee have signed it in the proper place. An order can be transferred to another office on payment an additional commission. In case of loss of an order, necessity for stopping payment, or the like, application should be made to the nearest Money Magple Order Office for instructions.

8. If the order be not presented within. six months an additional commission will be charged; if not within twelve months, the money will be forfeited. When the order is once paid no further claim can be entertained."

9.-No order can be paid until the advice relative to it has been received:

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Killarney	5 c O'Neill	Brit. str. 1060 Jan.	3 Gibb, Livingston & Co. 12 Melchers & Co.	Saigon Saigon S'apore and Penang	Fo-day Fo-day	,, Tongue, fresh, each 300 270	午 脚	Turbot,	130 120	左口魚
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Penedo Perusia		Brit. str. 652 Feb. Belg. str. 2297 Dec.	6 Melchers & Co. 17 Jardine, Matheson & Co.		Ab'deen Dock	,, Feet, each 45 35	午 脚 土 晒	Bananas, fragrant,	35 30	香蕉
Sea Gull	8 b	Amer. str. 48 July Brit. str. 409 Feb.	18 W. H. Ray 7 Douglas Lapraik & Co.	Amoy, &c.		,, Kidneya, .,, 55 45 Tail 100 90	一版 牛尾	common,	25 20	古厘蕉
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Salling Vessels Abbey Cowper	Carr	Brit. bqe. 699 Jan.	29 Meyer & Co.	 	Wanchai Pier	Calves' Head and Feet, set 600 500	一件 分 與脚	Currants, bottle	400 850	_細葡堤
Alden Besse	4 c Noyes	Amer. bqe. 850 Dec.	20 Vogel & Co. 17 Rozario & Co.	New York Portland		Hams, American, . lb. 320 800 Chinese,	金華火腿		500 400	洋猴
Arabella	t c Pearson	Brit. bge. 665 Feb.	4 Master			,, English	來路火腿	Figs, Dried, box Lemons, Chins, cattu	750 — 50 45	無化果 乾 熔煌
Black Hawk	うく Howland "	Amer. Bh. 1126 Jan.	13 Vogel & Co.	San Francisco	;	Mutton Chop, , 160 150	羊牌骨		200 160	呼啄 荔枝乾
Black Watch Bury St. Edmunds	8 c Kodskjee	Brit. bqe. 491 Dec. Dan. sb. 713 Jan.		Channel f.o.		, Leg, , , 160 150	羊肌 羊手	Loong Ngan, Dried, ,,	400 800	能眼乾
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Christina	8 c Lucas	Amer. sh. 1333 Jan. Nic.3. m.sc. 173 Dec.	2 J. J. dos Remedios & Co.		- ;	" Feet, 100 90	猪脚·	Oranges, (Coolie) C'ton new, ,,	40 80	角燈 州
Coloma	t c Hall	Amer. sch. 188 July Amer. bge. 853 Nov.	18 W. H. Ray 15 Russell & Co.	Portland or San F'co		" Fry, , 110 100	猪雞	, Kam-kwat,	±v 85	金橘
Corea	ik Pearce	Brit. bge. 555 Jan.	23 Yeyer & Co. 9 Meyer & Co. 6 Wieler & Co.		Jankan &	,, Head, ,, 9) 80	推頭 器心	,, Mandarin, Canton,,	100 80	省城朱砂桔
Cresswell	2 c Lilienthal	Ger. 3m. sc. 238 Feb.	6 Wieler & Co. 4 Wieler & Co. 8 Messagaries Masitimes	Whampoa	Jos'tan Dock	Heart, each 60 50	猫心 猪腰	"Dark Skinned, "	60 50	些會相
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Forward	k Brereton	Amer. sch. 353 Nov.	17 Rozario & Co. 19 Eduard Schellhann & Co. 4 Wieler & Co.	Penang		Sheeps' Head, and Foot, set 450 400	主頭脚	Pine-apples, Singapore, cach Plantains, common catty	20 10 40	星架波波蘿
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Hazelhurst	d c Snow	Amer. boe 608 Jan	1 Russell & Co.	New York Victoria (V. I.)		,, Kidneys, ,, 70 60	手腰	Pumelo, Oblong, each	80 50	陽額柚
Highlander	k Hutchinson	Amer. bqe. 573 Jan.		Portland (Oregon)	•	,, Liver, . ,, 140 180 Sucking Pigs, . , \$2.25 \$1.50	于JT 独仔	Raisma, Muscatel, bottle Sugar Cane, stick	600 5 00 20 15	珠提乾
Holstein 8 Hylton Castle 2 Invincible 4	biscott	Brit. boe 547 Feb.	6 Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	Hamburg	•	Sucking Pigs, , , \$2.25 \$1.50 Suct, Beef,	猪行 生牛油	Tamarinds. catty	20 15 60 50	白蔗
Itene	7 c Yates	Amer. sch. 481 Jan.	6 Meyer & Co. 18 Meyer & Co. 24 Wieler & Co.	Callao		" Mutton, " 120 110	生羊油		110 100	酸子 核桃
Kvik	clarsen	Norw. bae 417 Dec.	14 Siemssen & Co.	 	lands' Slip leared	Sweet Bread, catty 130 120	牛核	Water Chesnuts,	50 45	馬蹄
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Northern Star	C Wortley	Brit. bge. 327 Jan.	30 Wieler & Co.	Amoÿ		Deer, Shanghai, each \$2 \$1.50	上海黄麖	Bamboo Shoots, catty	450 400 80 70	龍鬚菜
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Prince Arthur3	k Wills	Amer. bge. 580 Jan. Brit. bge. 296 Dec.	13 Douglas Lapraik & Co.	Chefoo		Fowls, catty 170 160	鷄	" broad, Chinese,	40 80	面豆
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Vicenta4	c Smith	Amer. bge. 682 Jan. Span. bge. 518 Jan.	9 Douglas Lapraik & Co. 24 Remedios & Co.	•	C'loon Dock	Snipe, each 110 100 Teal. 150 130	沙追 *水鴨 仔	Carrots, (Canton)	20 —	次 金 筍
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Cordonan Echo	Bertaud	Fch. bqe. 459 Feb. Brit. bqe. 369 Feb.	4 Carlowitz & Co.	Tientsin Chefoo		, Вы, , 350 300	火鷄峻	Cauliflower, Hongkong each celery, Chinese,	100 50 20 ==	香港椰菜花
Helene Pacific Slope	Volguardsen Tank	Ger, bqe. 372 Jan.		Chefoo . — Tientsin		Wild Duck, Shanghai . pair 650 600	上海水鴨	Celery, English,	60 50	本地芹菜 水路芹菜
Amoy	Drewes			Shanakal		, Goose, ,,	上海雁鴉		100 80	來 姆万米 辣椒乾
Ningpo	Casa	Brit. str. 761 Jan,	8 Siemssen & Co.	Shanghal Shanghal	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Fish,	海鮮	,, Green, ,,	50 40	青花椒
	Men-c	of-war in Ho	ngkong Harboui	* *	*	Bombay Ducks, . per hundred 400 300	肚魚乾	Jurry Stuit, English	50 40 °	紅辣椒
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Africa	7 c French	troopship Flag-ship (iron-clad)	8800 12 450 Jan.	26 F. Marques 21 de la Barriero	-	Codfish, Salt, , , 160	鹹鱮魚	,, 56W,	80 26	新蒜頭
Fly	6 h British	man-of-war gun vessel	1400 8 Jan. 584 4 120 Dec.	23 Nalimoff 21 M. McNeil	4	Craba, 3	盤	Ginger, Young	85 30	軍
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Feb. 1, 11	879.	Hochung	Chinese Charley	BAILING VESSELA. British ba	uraus I	File Fish, , 70 60	利皮洋	be suce, Unitiese catty	20 15 10 9	唐人生紀
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Fungshun Genkai Maru	Chinese Japanese	Tung Ting Yang-tas	Chinese Nourmaha French Relbam	for Londo British br	la la	Mackerel, 70 60 Mullet, 80 70	統任	Sesamum,	60 50	白芝雄
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